

RAILROADS DUE TO SHOW CAUSE

Why Recent Increase Of The Minimum Freight Rate Should Not Be Declared Unreasonable And Unlawful.

AT MADISON ON TUESDAY NEXT

Shippers Voiced Big Protest And State Commission Has Summoned Traffic-Officials To Appear And Explain Themselves,

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Madison, Wis., Sept. 7.—The railroads of Wisconsin participating in the recent raise of the minimum freight rate from 25 to 40 cents have been summoned to appear before the state railroad rate commission Tuesday and show cause why the increase of rate should not be declared unreasonable and unlawful. Since the announcement of the raise of rate, protests have literally flooded the commission, coming from every section of the state, from Milwaukee, La Crosse and Janesville and other manufacturing cities in particular, and demanding that the commission prevent the alleged excessive and unreasonable charge. The protests number scores and while all of them are thus far informal in character, the people who protest show determination to make their complaints formal so as to bring the matter up for investigation without fail. However, this will be unnecessary, for the commission, immediately upon notice of the raise of rate, sent notices to the railroad companies to appear and explain themselves. This hearing will be held Tuesday and is expected to be one of the most important sessions the commission has held.

POLLARD THE POET WANTS THE THIRD DISTRICT TOGA

And Dame Rumor Has It That Ex-Congressman J. W. Babcock Will Again Be in the Race.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Madison, Wis., Sept. 7.—Last night Pollard, a poet, Chautauque orator, lawyer, politician and lead and since author of Dodgeville, Grant county, declared on a visit to Madison that he was out for the republican congressional nomination in the third district and will try to run against Congressman H. H. Murphy of Platteville, who a year ago defeated J. W. Babcock for the seat at Washington. The poet politician is a unique character, but has dabbled successfully in politics ere this, having served two terms as district attorney of his county and also been a familiar orator at many political conventions. He is aggressive and, more important, has recently made money in lead and zinc mines, enabling him to run a campaign. Already Judge D. O. Mahoney of Vilanova is out for the republican nomination, Judge Levi H. Bancroft of Richland Center is said to be "ready to jump," and Oliver G. Munson of Vilanova, state senator and private secretary to Governor Davidson, is certain to be a candidate. So a lively race is assured. Last of all comes the whisper that Mr. Babcock, for 14 years in congress, will try to return.

JEWISH NEW YEAR COMES TOMORROW

Observance of the Holiday Requires Entire Abstinence From Business and Attendance at Synagogue.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
New York, Sept. 7.—At sunset tomorrow evening the Jewish people throughout the world will begin the celebration of Rosh Hashanah, or the festival of the New Year. It will be the beginning of the year 5663 of the Hebrew calendar, which is traditionally supposed to count from the creation of the world. The celebration of the New Year's festival is more generally observed by the Jews than any other of the numerous feasts and fasts in their calendar, with the single exception of Yom Kippur or the Feast of the Day of Atonement, which follows close upon it.
Among orthodox Jews, whose numbers in this city have been greatly increased in recent years by immigrants from Russia and Poland, the ceremonies in connection with Rosh Hashanah extend over two days. With what is termed the reformed element, those who have accepted the modern interpretation of the scriptures, while the celebration of the festival is as strictly observed as among the orthodox, it is confined to one day. The religious observance of the festival requires entire abstinence from business and all labor, and the attendance upon the religious services at the synagogues.
A prominent feature of the services in the synagogues is the blowing of the ram's horn or shofar. The reason for blowing the horn can be traced back to the beginning of the Jewish race and is supposed to remind the children of Israel that the time for repentance is at hand and they should realize that they have committed sins which should be atoned for. After the blowing of the horn special services and prayers are held to commemorate the occasion.
In addition to the regularly established congregational worshiping all the year round in places of worship owned or regularly rented by them, the need of narrative owing to the great number of Jews, on the East Side especially, who do not belong to any established congregation, but who desire to take part in the celebration of the festival, to fulfill this need every available hall and place of public meeting on the East Side, many in Harlem and a number in the Bronx, have been fitted up as temporary places of worship. The seats in these improvised synagogues are bought by those who desire to worship at these places, but there is always a provision made for those who cannot afford the expenditure, so that no one desirous of taking part in the service is turned away.

The Present the Only Time.
Considering that the past can't turn around and come back and that the future has never yet arrived, it would seem as if today is the only time really worth while.

DIFFERENT TYPES OF LINERS IN RACE

Fastest Steamer With Reciprocating Engines and Biggest Turbine Greyhound Leave Liverpool.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Liverpool, Eng., Sept. 7.—What is considered an epoch-making event was the departure today of the Cunard line steamer "Lusitania," the largest Atlantic liner, on her maiden voyage to New York. The "Lusitania" left about three hours earlier than the "Mauretania," making a possible trial of speed across the Atlantic between the two fastest steamers with reciprocating engines and the largest turbine engine. Officials of the Cunard line say no race is contemplated, but the engine crews have been busy for a week past getting everything in readiness with the expectation that the engines might be called upon to do their utmost on the trip.



The Peace Angel—Trust, young sir, that you'll become very peaceful in your disposition and not play with war toys.
There is an agitation on hand in the interest of the peace idea to prevent the manufacture of soldiers, cannons, battleships, etc., in the shape of toys for children.—News Item.

WOMAN HURT IN AUTO ACCIDENT SUGGUMBS

Milwaukee Woman Who Was Burned By Explosion of Auto Gasoline Died This Morning.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Milwaukee, Wis., Sept. 7.—Mrs. Walker Stern died this morning as a result of injuries received Monday evening in an automobile accident near Port Washington. Mrs. Stern was returning with her husband and some friends from Elkhart Lake and the automobile was tipped over and the gasoline in the tanks caught fire. Mrs. Stern was seriously burned.

HORSE DOCTORS AT SEA OVER DISEASE

Neenah and Menasha Horse Owners Unable to Learn Cause of Death of Innumerable Animals.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Neenah, Wis., Sept. 7.—Horse owners in Neenah and Menasha have asked the state veterinarian to visit them to investigate a disease which is killing scores of horses. The disease has been called "the horse plague" and losses have run up to thousands of dollars.

IS THE STATE AGAIN TO HAVE GOLD BOOM?

Price County Is Excited Over Late Discovery of Gold—Assayers Pronounce It 95 Per Cent Pure.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Phillips, Wis., Sept. 7.—Price county is excited over a new discovery of gold within the limits of the county. John Jankowski, a settler near Elmer, found a large nugget while cleaning chickens. Assayers pronounced it 95 per cent pure gold. Several years ago gold was found, and the discoverer went insane, landing in the county asylum where he is now confined.

WILL RAISE FOXES FOR HIDES IN ALASKA

Manitowoc Man Leaves to Join Friend in Klondike Where They Will Run Fox Farm.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Manitowoc, Wis., Sept. 7.—To rear foxes for their hides is the purpose of John Goetz, who left today for Alaska to join George Seave, a Manitowoc man, who has established a "fox farm" in a wild part of the gold country. The business is said to be a lucrative one.

CREW OF WRECKED ARCTIC BOAT SAFE

Explorers Made Way Over Ice to Safety at Gibbon, Alaska, Says London News.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
London, Sept. 7.—The Evening News announces that a cable dispatch was received in London today from Gibbon, Alaska, saying that Captain Mikolaisen, of the Arctic steamer "Duchesse de Bedford," and companions are safe, having traversed the ice to a place of safety after the wreck of the ship.

ITALIAN TO BE TRIED FOR WOMAN'S DEATH

Accused Man Will Be Defended by Wealthy New York Relatives— Evidence Is Circumstantial.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Chicago, Ill., Sept. 7.—A noted murder case is to come to trial in this city next week, when on Wednesday next Frank J. Constantino will be arraigned in court to answer to the charge of having murdered Mrs. Arthur Gentry. The alleged murder occurred in the Gentry apartments in La Salle street on January 5, 1906. Mrs. Gentry's body was found lying in the hallway of the apartment house with her throat cut. She had staggered down two flights of stairs, apparently in an effort to get to a doctor's office on the ground floor. It was said at the time of the murder that Constantino, who had boarded with the Gentrys, was seen running down the back stairway of the house.
Although the police had a good description of the man every effort to find him proved unavailing. It was more than a year later, on April 2 last, that he was arrested as he was boarding a steamer in Brooklyn bound for Italy. He had taken passage under the name of Pasquale Gelormi. After much questioning he admitted his identity, but denied that he was guilty of the murder of Mrs. Gentry. The woman, he declared, committed suicide in his presence. During that he would be accused of the crime, he said he had fled from Chicago and for a year had dodged about from place to place. In the course of his wanderings he said he had travelled to Italy and thence to South America and on one occasion had visited Chicago since his first flight.
Constantino admitted that the deed had been committed with his razor and the police claim to have a sure case against him. The only weak point, however, appears to have been the lack of motive for the crime. Up to the present this important feature has been missing, but the state's attorney, who will conduct the prosecution, now declares that the motive has been discovered and that the prosecution will be able to show it beyond a doubt. Constantino, who is a young Italian of good appearance, had relatives in New York who are well-to-do and it is said that ample funds are forthcoming for a vigorous defense.

USE ANGORA GOATS TO CLEAR WILD LAND

Farmers Near Marshfield Clear Land With Cast-iron Stomach Animals.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Marshfield, Wis., Sept. 7.—Angora goats, the animal of the "cast-iron" stomach species, are being used in Wood county for clearing wild pasture. Hiram E. Huelow has just finished work on an extensive tract with a herd of sixty goats, and sold them today to C. L. Morrison, who is going to repeat the operation. Now that Mr. Huelow has some good pasturage, he is intending to raise dairy cattle on a large scale.

DEER DESTROYING CROPS UP NORTH

Marquette County Farmers Losing Crops But Cannot Protect Them- selves Because of Game Laws.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Marquette, Wis., Sept. 7.—Farmers of the town of Stephenson are in a peculiar predicament. Deer have been destroying crops in the fields, using them as pastures, and the owners are powerless to stop them, because of the strict game laws.

TWENTY POISONED BY EATING CHICKENS

Sandwiches Cause Violent Sickness Among Members of Thrashing Crew at Manson, Iowa.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Manson, Ia., Sept. 7.—Twenty members of a wheat thrashing crew north of Manson were poisoned Thursday by eating chicken sandwiches. A number are desperately sick, but physicians believe all will recover. Poison had developed in the chicken.

RALPH ROSE BROKE SHOT PUT RECORD

Husky Californian Amateur Hurled Sixteen Pound Weight 60 Feet, 6 1/2 Inches.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Jamestown Exposition Grounds, Va., Sept. 7.—At the championship amateur athletic union events here today Ralph Rose of California broke the world's record in the 16-pound shot put by hurling it 60 feet, 6 1/2 inches. The distance was 69 feet, 6 1/2 inches.

THREE MORE WRECK VICTIMS ARE DEAD

Death List of Rock Island Catastrophe at Waterloo Has Grown to Fourteen.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Waterloo, Ia., Sept. 7.—Three more of those injured in the wreck of the Rock Island express train yesterday at Norris, died here today. This raises the death list to fourteen.

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WIFE MURDERER AND WOULD-BE SUICIDE?

Fred M. Fisher, Wealthy Retired Chicago Broker, Considered Central Figure in Tragedy.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Chicago, Sept. 7.—Mrs. Fred M. Fisher, the wife of a wealthy retired Chicago broker, was found murdered in her home at Evanston early today. Fisher was found with his throat cut in the same room with his wife. The police believe Fisher murdered his wife and afterwards attempted suicide. His recovery is very doubtful.

RECEIVER FOR ERIE HEATING COMPANY

Liabilities Hundred Thousand and Assets Few—Misappropriation of Funds Is Charged.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Chicago, Ill., Sept. 7.—A receiver was today appointed for the Erie Heating Co. The liabilities are placed at a hundred thousand with little assets. Charges are made in the petition that F. W. Gale, president of the company, diverted large sums of money from the company to his own use.

GREAT G. A. R. ENCAMPMENT AT SARATOGA NEXT WEEK

Annual Gathering Of The Veterans Will Be Held In 500-Acre Park--Some Will Sleep in Sidetracked Pullman Cars.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Saratoga, N. Y., Sept. 7.—The forty-first national encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, with the annual meetings of its several affiliated bodies, will open here Monday, and is expected to be one of the largest in recent years.
The arrangements for the week were completed today. The village is extensively and handsomely decorated in honor of the occasion, and the hotels, railroad stations and other buildings bear electrical illuminations of unusual brilliancy. Commander-in-Chief R. B. Brown of Ohio, accompanied by the members of his staff, opened headquarters at the United States hotel today.
In connection with the meetings of the Grand Army, there will be held the annual gatherings of the National Woman's Relief Corps, the National Ladies' Aid Society, the National Soldiers' and Sailors' Relief Association, the National Association of Naval Veterans, and the National Association of ex-Prisoners of War.
The meetings and reunions of these various organizations will continue through the entire week. The feature of the week will be the parade of the veterans on Wednesday, when it is expected from twenty to thirty thousand men will be in line. The line of march will be one and a quarter miles in length, with a slight down grade the entire distance. Great crowds will overarch nearly the entire distance of the parade.
Tuesday will be devoted to the welcoming of the elders and members of the Grand Army of the Republic. Governor Hughes and other notables will take part in the social entertainment, Wednesday evening there will be an illustrated "master" in Convention Hall. The business sessions of the several organizations will be held Thursday. The G. A. R. delegates will meet in Convention Hall, the Woman's Relief Corps in the First M. E. church, the Ladies of the G. A. R. in the First Baptist church, the Daughters of Veterans in Bethesda Episcopal parish house, the Naval Veterans' Association in the Second Presbyterian church, and the National Association of ex-Prisoners of War in the Town Hall.
On Thursday evening the mammoth campfire of the Grand Army will be held in Convention Hall, with brief speeches by representatives of all the states departments. A number of prominent speakers also will be heard.
The election of officers of the Grand Army will take place Thursday afternoon or Friday morning. Much interest centers in the choice of the new commander-in-chief. For this office there are already several prominent candidates, including General Charles G. Burton of Missouri, Patrick Conroy of Kansas, Chester Burrows of New Jersey, and General W. T. Wilder of Tennessee. Other than for the office of commander-in-chief there will be little competition.
The arrangements for the entertainment of the veterans and other visitors are of the most elaborate character, the state of New York having appropriated the sum of \$35,000 to see that the encampment was well taken care of. The encampment will be in Woodland Park, which consists of 500 acres, one-half a beautiful forest, densely shaded along the line of march of the parade. In addition to the hotels and boarding houses many private homes will be opened for the accommodation of veterans. It is also planned to side-track scores of sleeping cars during the encampment week and these will be occupied by visitors. The entertainment program also provides for many short trips to nearby resorts.
Notwithstanding the great distance to be travelled the veterans of the far west and southwest will be well represented at the encampment. The first of the posts to arrive in special trains reached here today. Scores of veterans, with their families and friends, also came in on regular trains. Such an early influx of visitors was somewhat unexpected by the local executive committee, but the arrangements already completed were of such a perfect and elaborate character that the visitors were soon on under tow of white-capped guides and escorted to the quarters provided for them. These guides have been stationed at the railway depot and every arrival is assured of the proper attention. A large force of additional help, made up of experienced baggage men brought from New York, Boston and other eastern cities, has been installed at the depot baggage room to handle the great quantity of baggage of the encampment guests. Many out-of-town detectives are also here to give attention to the light-fingered fraternity and other undesirable visitors always attracted to large national gatherings of this kind.

UNITED STATES WILL NOT INTERVENE IN MOROCCO

Officials In State Department At Washington Make Announcement--Events At Scene Of Trouble March On Rapidly.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Washington, D. C., Sept. 7.—The United States Government does not feel called upon to intervene in any manner in the Moroccan affair. This announcement is made from statements given out by officials in the state department.
Moors Ask for Peace
Paris, France, Sept. 7.—A dispatch from Casablanca this afternoon announces that various Moorish tribes around that place have asked General Druce, the French Commander, to suspend hostilities for the purpose of negotiating peace. The general has agreed to remain inactive until tomorrow and unless the Moors surrender by then will march on Tiddier.
Sultans March on Capitals
Tangier, Sept. 7.—Events in Morocco march on with great rapidity. Yesterday both sultans were reported to be leading armies on to the rival capitals, Fez and Morocco City. These armies were lavied in hot haste and many decide within a fortnight the destiny of the Moroccan monarchy.
Dandi's Captive Ill-Treated
Tangier, Sept. 7.—Some of the details contained in the recent letters received here from Caid Sir Harry Maclean, who was captured early in July by the bandit Itawell and has since been held a prisoner, have been divulged and it is said that Raulail has not been treating his captive well. The captives complain that he is suffering from chills as the result of sleeping on the floor with only a carpet for a covering. Raulail refused to supply him with a mattress, but the child adds:
"The chief is very kind in sending me milk, as I am afraid to eat anything."
Sir Harry says he is in a tumble-down room, the roof of which on one side is completely lacking. He is guarded by four or five men, and the five have only one small kettle for water. It is consequently impossible for the Englishman to wash.

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WISCONSIN WEATHER FORECAST

Showers tonight and cooler in the west portion, fair and cooler Sunday.

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This is a correct report of the circulation of the Janesville Daily and Semi-Weekly Gazette for August, 1907, and represents the actual number of papers printed and circulated.

H. H. HISS, Business Manager.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of September, 1907.

JENNIE L. KENDALL, Notary Public.

(Seal)

My commission expires Feb. 11, 1911.

OUR SATURDAY NIGHT

The Western Publisher contains the following suggestive paragraph: "I suppose you have sometimes found your watch so tight that it wouldn't run. A watch like this reminds me of some men. They are just clock full of energy and ambition and power, but somehow they don't seem to know how to start. Occasionally some one comes along and shakes them loose, just as you do your watch, and then, again, they just keep right on, wound up too tight for action and of no use in the world."

Did you ever notice one of these Italian marble clocks? The popular variety for wedding presents, with a \$24.50 case and a 50-cent Waterbury movement. A clock that strikes anywhere from one to twelve at any hour of the day or night, and keeps the family constantly guessing.

When you wind this kind of a clock your wife stands by to help you shake it and wake it up, for it left the factory half an hour late, very tired, and has lost all ambition to catch up. If you never owned this kind of a clock you have lost half the pleasure of living, and no wonder you have grown prematurely old.

Possibly you are more familiar with the open-encountered, round-faced 75-cent variety, with an alarm bell attachment—the kind that your wife soaks in kerosene once or twice a year to keep everything moving.

It is said that a telephone girl, who found it difficult to wake up early in the morning, took one of these clocks to her room, placed it on a chair at the head of the bed, set the alarm at five o'clock, and was soon dead to the world in peaceful slumber. When the alarm went off she rolled over and said in a sleepy voice, "Line's busy, call again." But the clock was one of those perpetual alarmists and the girl was obliged to get up and put it out of business.

At one of the lake resorts is a cottage, built by an old gentleman who died some years ago, in a corner of the sitting room hangs a "grandfather clock," a family heirloom bequeathed to the summer home because too ancient for the house in town.

The tenants wind the old clock when they think of it, and for 24 hours it ticks as lustily as though the ancient old lady which tolls off the hours, rings out in the night like the old-fashioned church bell, a pleasant reminder to the light sleepers in the neighborhood that time is moving on.

This little description on clocks suggests the thought that they are very much like men, built to run, but not always reliable. When the span of life was placed at three score years and ten, it meant 70 years of activity, and as many more as the brittle thread which connects man with time could be kept strong and flexible.

The mechanism of the body, in normal condition, is more perfect than the mechanism of the best clock. It is built, not only to go, but to endure the strain of succeeding years, and when disabled or run down, it is not because of faulty construction.

While it is true that birth and environment have something to do with development, yet the fact remains that there is nothing cheap about the construction of the human body, nor

of the mind and soul which inhabits it.

The great Creator has but one plan for the human race, and the accident of birth does not interfere with the plan. The human will is stronger than environment, and so it often happens that out of lowly and adverse surroundings, come the strong brave souls to bless humanity by lives that ring true at every turn in the pathway.

We have a right to expect more of the marble-faced clock with its silver toned bell, than of the modest three-piece which is battered around like a football, but expectations are frequently disappointing.

The boy from college, with well-developed mind and athletic physique, presents a fine appearance, in natty attire, but he may be as useless as a wooden Indian, ten years from now, while the boy on the ice cart may rival him in the race of life.

Both are built for active service, but neither will serve, unless inspired by ambition and a purpose. It is not what a boy knows, but what he does with his knowledge, that tells. He may be built up so tight in knowledge and self-conceit that he will never go at all, while the boy across the street, with limited equipment, but indomitable purpose, goes to the front.

This land of golden opportunities, "all men are created free and equal," "There is inspiration in the creed which leads to destiny."

The marble clock is a luxury in the home, and the college education is of the same character, so much so that only 300,000 out of an enrollment of 20,000,000 school children are able to enjoy it, but it does not follow that the 19,700,000, representing the masses, will make a failure of life, for they are students in the great university of everyday experience, and time has long since demonstrated that success and not failure, is the rule.

The opportunities for a liberal education in the people's university are greater today than ever before. The correspondence schools, available to everybody, are doing a wonderful work, along the lines of practical education, while the great corporations are turning out every year an army of expert industrial workers to fill places of trust and responsibility.

The clocks are all equipped and ready to go. It remains for the individual to keep them wound and in running order. The short workday so generally established in organized labor circles, may or may not prove a blessing. It all depends upon what is done with the leisure time. Eight hours for work, eight hours for sleep, and eight hours for recreation, sounds well, but eight hours for work and sixteen to raise taxes, will soon demoralize any sort of a timepiece.

The man Earle, who recently shipped his wife and boy back to France, in order that he might satisfy his artistic desire to marry his affinity, went off like an alarm clock when his neighbors protested. He would have been talking yet, but for circumstances beyond his control. This socialistic propaganda, aided by Hearst and a lot of self-appointed reformers, are the alarm clocks of the nation today. More noisy than dangerous, and yet very busy.

Better to be a grandfather clock, with slow and conservative movement, but strong and steady action, than an exploiter of fads and fancies.

W. H. Hearst is a fine proposition to discuss clocks. He is the one man in the nation, who has done more to stir up class hatred, with his string of yellow journals, than all other forces combined. As a disturber, he belongs in a class by himself.

Conservatism and retrenchment does not necessarily mean a pauper, but it does mean enforced idleness, in many industries, and a touch of hard times. It is a good time to have hard resources, and lay by a few dollars for a wet day.

It requires more than solvency to do a successful business, as many of the large corporations are discovering.

If there is anything which the Col. Hiss has not reformed, attention should be called to it.

OBITUARY.

John O. Hopkins.

John O. Hopkins, who died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. E. C. Burdick, on Monday and whose funeral took place on the following Wednesday, was born in Erie county, New York, Dec. 17, 1821. His early life was spent on his father's farm. In 1849 he removed to Ohio where he was employed in a saw-mill. He was married in 1851 to Miss Susan Ann of Painesville, Ohio, and both moved in 1851 to Buffalo where the deceased served for many years as police constable. In 1860 Mr. and Mrs. Hopkins moved to Rockton, Ill., where the first named was for some time employed in a paper mill. From 1870 to 1879 the subject of this sketch was engaged in farming in Rock county, in the spring of 1879 he started with his family for the far west, driving overland to western Kansas, where he took up a homestead which he worked for eight years. He was justice of the peace for three terms at Huley, Kan. In 1887 he moved to Gray, Kan., where he kept a general store and served as postmaster for several years. During the past eight years he and his wife had made their home with their daughter, Mrs. E. C. Burdick, 111 Pearl street. Nine children, two of whom died in infancy, were born to them. One son, J. W. Hopkins of Painesville, Kan., and three daughters—Mrs. Burdick and Mrs. J. T. Wagoner of Janesville and Mrs. Charles Perkins of Painesville, Kan., and his aged wife survive him; also three brothers—W. W. Hopkins also

Refield, S. D., and Charles and Nelson Hopkins of Beloit—and one sister, Mrs. Jennie Garrett of Oneida, Kan.

Mrs. Amelia Mikkelsen
The funeral of the late Mrs. Amelia Mikkelsen will be held from the residence, 424 South Jackson street, at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon, the Rev. William Christy officiating. Interment will be made in Oak Hill cemetery.

Mrs. James Scott
At 10 o'clock this morning the funeral of Mrs. James Scott was held from the late residence, 4 Forest Park boulevard, the Rev. J. W. Langhille officiating. The pallbearers were Stewart H. Hodges, W. B. Conrad, Chas. Hile, William Schumacker, West Ford, and William Proctor. Interment was made in Oak Hill cemetery.

EYE INFECTED FROM SORE ON NEW HORSE

Matthew West of Monroe Came Here Threatened With Blindness and Is at Hospital.

Threatened with blindness in one eye, which had become infected from a sore on a horse, Matthew West came here from Monroe, Wednesday for treatment from Dr. C. G. Dwight and proper care at the Mercy hospital. Mr. West recently purchased a western broncho and in treating a lupus of tubercular origin on the animal's nose allowed germs to get into one eye. The optic swollen out of shape and began emitting a bloody discharge. Dr. Dwight immediately put him in the hospital. The man had a high fever and all times the inflammation, which is of the severest nature, made him delirious. Constant treatment has done much and Mr. West is improving. The case is a peculiar and rare one.

R. C. Henkley of St. Louis, an employee of the Otto Gas Engine company of Chicago, who came here to build the coal chutes at the North-Western railway yards, is also confined to the hospital with pneumonia. He was first confined to the Grand Hotel, where he was stopping, and then removed to the hospital. As a result of his sickness the building operations have been delayed.

At present the hospital is crowded to its capacity, many patients having been brought here from without the city.

JANESVILLE WON BY LARGE SCORE

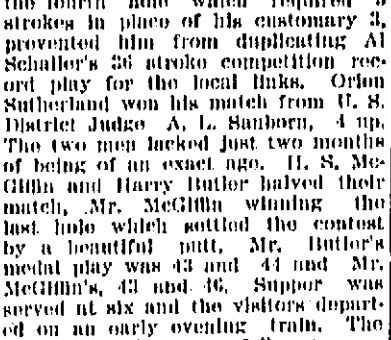
Course Was in Fine Condition For the Golf Tourney With Madison Yesterday—Details of Contest.

Laurel lost at Madison on Friday, August 23, to the tune of 35 up, were handsomely relieved by the Shinneshippi Golf club team in a second tourney with the Maple Bluff club on the home grounds yesterday afternoon. There were thirteen competing pairs, as compared with fourteen at the previous meet, and the final score was 43 up in favor of Janesville. Al Schaller again won his match with State Champion Frank Jacobs, defeating the latter 5 strokes. The score stood 7 up in favor of the Janesville man as the two drove off for the seventh round hole but the Brower City's crack player was unable to negotiate the last two came in lost both 6 and 7, medal play, and lost them both. E. E. Fildes who defeated A. B. Morris 5 up, made the last nine holes in 28 medal play. Bud Luck at the fourth hole which required 5 strokes in place of his customary 3, prevented him from duplicating Al Schaller's 26 stroke competition record play for the local links. Orion Sutherland won his match from U. S. District Judge A. L. Sanborn, 4 up. The two men lacked just two months of being an exact age. H. S. McGinn and Harry Butler having their last hole which settled the contest by a 10-stroke margin. Mr. Butler's medal play was 43 and 44 and Mr. McGinn's 43 and 46. Supper was served at six and the visitors departed on an early evening train. The score in detail was as follows:

Al Schaller	Frank Jacobs	0	0
E. E. Fildes	A. B. Morris	1	0
P. Schaller	A. W. Trester	1	0
P. Baker	Orlando Knopf	2	0
O. Sutherland	Alfred A. Sanborn	0	0
H. G. Carter	Billie Lyman	0	0
G. Morse	J. E. M. Wootton	0	0
C. C. MacLean	E. B. Barker	0	0
H. S. McGinn	Harry Butler	0	0
J. L. Wilcox	J. D. Wheeler	0	0
Mark Hostwick	W. A. Tracy	0	0
P. W. Morgan	J. A. Pyro	0	0
Stanley Tallman	Al Schmedeman	0	0

Totals.....43

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BELDING-HALL IN RECEIVER'S HANDS

ACTION OF CREDITORS FOLLOWS DISAPPEARANCE OF HEAD.

FRANK H. JONES NAMED

Liabilities of Manufacturing Company Are Estimated at \$550,000 and Its Assets at \$400,000.

Chicago, Sept. 7.—After secretly filing a petition in bankruptcy in the United States district court at nine o'clock Thursday evening against the Belding-Hall Manufacturing company, whose troubles have been given an airing within the last few days, obtained the appointment of Frank H. Jones, of the American Trust & Savings bank, as receiver.

The liabilities known to the petitioning creditors are declared to be \$550,000, while the assets are estimated at \$400,000. Referee in Bankruptcy Eastman appointed the receiver in the absence of a district court judge. Mr. Jones' bond was fixed at \$50,000.

Echo of Hall's Disappearance.
The action of the creditors to obtain a settlement of the manufacturing company's financial difficulties is an echo of the disappearance of the company's president, Jesse F. Hall, of Wilmot, who is said to have gone to Canada.

Attorney Jacob Newman, of the law firm of Newman, Northrup, Levinson & Becker, filed the petition after sending word to Deputy Clerk Fay, of the United States district court, who went to his office in the federal building to carry out the necessary formalities.

Some of the Creditors.
One of the creditors is the First National bank of Chicago, having claims consisting of promissory notes on which there is no security. No amount is given. One promissory note is dated May 18, 1907, and was due the petition says, August 30, 1907. The note was given on money loaned by the bank to the Belding-Hall company, it is alleged.

The creditors are the Corn Exchange National bank, A. G. Becker & Co. and Belding Bros. & Co.

The petition alleges the company has been insolvent for four months. According to the statements of Attorney Newman there are about 200 creditors of Belding-Hall company, most of whom are Chicago, New York and Michigan firms. Several New York banks are said to have claims ranging from \$5,000 to \$25,000, but Mr. Newman said he did not know the names of the banks.

"So far as we have been able to learn at the present time," said Mr. Newman, "the assets of the concern are worth \$100,000. The known liabilities are approximately \$550,000, but further investigation may show them to be greater."

TWO RECORDS ARE BROKEN.

Good Work By Athletes At the Jamestown Exposition Meet.

Norfolk, Va., Sept. 7.—The features Friday of the Jamestown exposition athletic meet were the breaking of the Junior record for throwing the 55-pound weight, by P. McDonald, of the Irish-American club; the throwing of the half mile running record three seconds by E. C. Sheehan of Boston, and the pole vaulting of E. T. Cook, Irish-American Athletic club, who came within four inches of the world's record.

Doctor Accused of Manslaughter.

Laporte, Ind., Sept. 7.—Walter W. Nichols, whose wife died Monday night because of alleged lack of attention from Dr. Charles Moore of Rolling Prairie, where on a warrant Friday against the physician, charging manslaughter, Bail was placed at \$5,000.

A Cynical Instructor.

"Father," said little Rollo, "what is a great man?" "A great man, my son, is one who manages to gather about him a corps of assistants who will take the blame for his mistakes while he gets the credit for any good ideas."

The Practical View.

"Why don't I make him keep his distance?" repeated the practical young woman. "If you knew men better you wouldn't ask that question. There isn't one man in a thousand who will keep his distance without keeping his money also. What is a person to do?"

Whites in Natal.

Statistics prove that to every white in Natal there are two Indians and from ten to 11 Kaffirs. The whites are the ruling class, but they hold position by prestige, and should the natives once realize their huge superiority they might easily ruin the colony.

Sharp Tongues.

Men ought to find the difference between gentleness and bitterness. Certainly he that hath a gentler vein, as he mislead others afraid of his wit, so he hath need be afraid of his wit's memory.—Francis Bacon.

The First Acrostic.

An acrostic poem in which the first or last letters of each line read downwards form a word. It is said to have been invented by Porphyrius Optianus in the fourth century. Double acrostics became popular in 1867.

Want ads. bring results.



"Well, sir, who are you?"
"Why, father, dear, don't you know me? I'm your prodigal son!"—Woman's Home Companion.

Not What He Wanted.



"Excuse me, but is it here that a young girl with an ideal head is wanted?"
"Yes, but what brings you here?"
"My Theresa has an ideal head. She was the first in her school."—Pileggi's Blatter.

Famous Old Chapultepec.

The castle of Chapultepec is the most noted and historic edifice in Mexico. It has a history dating far back into the days when Mexico was ruled by Spanish viceroys, and following that it served in the same capacity during the days that Mexico was an empire, republic, empire and republic again.

Saratoga Chips.

The man who invented Saratoga chips is dead. The other kind of chips, however, have always been more popular in Saratoga.

The Return.

Miracles Yet.
A baby floating all night at sea without being drowned; a watch found in the lung of a cow; a man returning to the owner a lost roll of bills—these are among the things reported in the papers. Yet we are told that the age of miracles is past.

An Amusement Lover.

A Birmingham girl at a dance fell through a fourth-story window and landed on the first floor. She said she was unhurt and hurried back. Anything for a dance!

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German full concave Razors, honed ready for use, \$2.00 and \$2.50.

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Shaving Mugs, china or aluminum, 25c to \$1.00.

Everlasting Lather Brushes, 25c to 60c.

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THE GRIP OF HONOR

Cyrus Townsend Brady.

Author of "The Southerners," "In the Wake of the Navy," etc.

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CHAPTER XX.

THE INDOMITABLE EGG.

THE battle had been maintained with the utmost fury for nearly three-quarters of an hour, and both ships had sustained serious injuries, the Richard being in much the worse condition. The heavy shot from the long 18 pounders of the Seraph had played havoc with her. Pearson naturally thought that it was about time for Jones to surrender, though the hour when Jones thought it time to surrender would never strike. The sudden silence which had fallen upon the conflict was broken by a voice from the British ship. In high interrogation it rang over the waters in the moonlight.

"Have you struck?" was the question of the Seraph. From the shutters of the Richard came Jones' immortal answer:

"I have not yet begun to fight!"

A roar of wild excitement, a gigantic Homeric laugh, broke from the throats of the crew of the Richard as the reply of the captain was passed from deck to deck until the whole ship from truck to keelson quivered with responsive joy. It was a joke the character of which those blood-stained uniforms could well appreciate, but the captain was in no mood for joking. He was serious, and in the simplicity of the answer lay its greatness. Struck not now nor ever! Rebut! The fighting is but just begun! The preposterous possibility of surrender cannot even be considered. What manner of man this with whom you battle in the moonlight, brave Pearson? An unfamiliar kind to you and to most, such as has not been before nor shall be again. Yet all the world shall see and understand at this time.

"I have not yet begun to fight!" Surprising answer! On a ship shattered beyond repair, her best guns exploded and useless, her crew decimated, flung about with death and dying, the captain has not yet begun to fight! But there was no delay after the answer, no philosophizing, no heroics. The man of action was there. He meant business! Every moment when the guns were silent was a wasted one.

The helm was shifted to starboard and the headlands advanced. The Richard slowly swung off to port and gathered headway again. The Seraph had lost an opportunity of tackling and raking. In order more quickly to bring his guns to bear and perhaps to prevent a raking by the enemy, Captain Pearson threw all blank. And the two ships, one backing and the other reaching ahead, slowly drew abreast each other, the batteries speaking again as soon as the guns bore. The night was very light, and the motion of both ships was sluggish in the extreme, so that they practically lay side by side, steering way almost gone, slowly drifting in for long minutes, until there came a sudden, temporary breath of wind.

The position was most advantageous for the Seraph, as with her heavier and more numerous guns she could deliberately knock the Richard into a "rocked hat." She was much the speedier and handier ship, and might reasonably hope to choose her own distance, and, having selected a point of vantage, maintain it to the end. Pearson's game was to fight at long range until he had sunk his enemy. No difficult task that last—she was half sinking now! But what the Richard lacked in mobility and direction, she made up in her captain. Jones did things instinctively. Pearson had to think about them. Jones' only hope was in getting to close quarters and making use of the disheveled French soldiers upon his decks.

Women Who Wear Well.

It is astonishing how great a change a few years of married life often make in the appearance and disposition of many women. The freshness, the charm, the brilliancy vanish like the bloom from a peach which is rudely handled. The matron is only a dim shadow, a faint echo of the charming maiden. There are two reasons for this change, ignorance and neglect. Few young women appreciate the shock to the system through marriage and motherhood. Many neglect the delicate system through marriage and motherhood, not understanding that this secret drain is robbing the clock of its freshness and the form of its fairness.

As surely as the general health suffers when there is derangement of the health of the delicate woman's organs, so surely when these organs are established in health the face and the form witness to the fact in renewed bloom. Nearly a million women have found health and happiness in the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It makes weak women strong and sick women well. Ingredients on label—contains no alcohol or harmful habit-forming drugs. Made wholly of those native, American, medicinal roots most highly recommended by leading medical authorities of all the several schools of practice for the cure of women's peculiar ailments. It is a physician of large experience in the treatment of women's peculiar ailments. Dr. Pierce may be consulted by letter free of charge. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y.

They had done good service already in clearing the gun-deck of the English. Therefore, as the Richard, gathering way, gradually forced about, her helm was shifted to port and the vessel slowly swung across the bow of the Seraph, which had just begun to all away again as Pearson saw that he had nearly backed out of action. The bow of the Seraph struck the starboard quarter of the Richard, the 18 pounder thrusting itself violently through the mizen rigging. There was a terrific crash at the moment of impact, and a second later the English, cheering frantically, jumped upon the hull of the bowsprit and clambered upon the rail of their ship.

They were led by a tall, distinguished looking officer, who attracted double attention as he wore the red uniform of the English army. As their heads appeared over the rail the powerful voice of Jones could be heard shouting, "Boards away!" Not waiting for the men who came springing up on the quarter deck in obedience to his summons, the dauntless captain seized a pike from the rack and hurled it through the air at the leader of the Englishmen. Good fortune guided his hand, and the steel head of the lance struck fair in the bosom of the soldier. The British wavered a moment as their officer fell, and Jones discharged his pistol full among them. Then the Chandall and those of his marines left alive upon the deck, by a well directed point blank volley, drove back the boarding party of the English.

The two ships were grinding against each other, and the wind on the after-sail of the Seraph slowly forced her around until she swung parallel to the Richard. The 18 pounder snatched off short under the strain and her starboard anchor caught in the tangled rigging of the American frigate, and Stacey, the sailing master, sprang to lash the ships together. Stacey snatched a rope from the rail on the deck and strove to overhaul it. It was tangled and he found great difficulty in clearing it. An impatient man at best, and now greatly excited, he swore roundly as he tugged at the vexatious rope.

"Don't swear, Mr. Stacey," said Jones calmly, coming to his assistance. "In another moment we may all be in eternity, but let us do our duty."

With his own hands Jones passed the lashing. On the gun deck below, the batteries were being fought fiercely. The two ships were lying side by side, one heading in, the other out, the bow of one, by the stern of the other, the starboard side of the Seraph closely touching the starboard side of the Richard. In the hope that the Richard would drift clear, Captain Pearson now dropped his port anchor. In vain! No bulwarks ever cling to each other with more tenacity of grip than did those two ships in deadly grapple joined together. The Richard and the Seraph were fast locked for good, and the two ships swung to the tidal current, the wind being again almost entirely killed. In that position they lay for the next two hours, or until the battle was over.

As the Englishman had not hitherto engaged on the starboard side, the port shutters had not been opened, and the close contact of the two ships rendered it impossible to open them then. The Seraph's men were therefore compelled to fire through them, blowing off the port lids. It was necessary for the men on both ships to extend the long handles of the rammers and sponges of the guns through the ports into the other ship in order to properly load their own cannon. Badinage of a character easily to be imagined passed back and forth between the two crews, though nothing interrupted the steady and persistent discharge of the batteries. The battle below was literally a hand to hand conflict with great guns, all the advantages in number and also being with the English.

At this juncture a new note was added to the conflict. Jones, whose eyes were everywhere in the battle, observed a black shadow come darting athwart the two fighting ships, shutting off the moonlight. It was the Alliance.

"Ah," he said to himself, "Landais has seen the folly of his disobedience and has come to our assistance." As the American ship, with her French captain and half English crew, loomed up between him and the bright moon he thought of course that she would range down upon the menaced side of the Seraph and with a few broadsides compel her to strike at once. But no, the Alliance under full sail stood on. Her men were at quarters, ports tripped up, lanterns lighted. She was passing the bow of the Seraph now. Why did she not fire? The insane and treacherous Landais held steadily on until he was standing squarely across the stern of the Richard. Now she was drawing past as well. A command rang out. Good God! What was that?

Jones was well nigh petrified with astonishment when at short range the Alliance poured in a raking broadside, of which the Richard received the brunt, though it was apparently discharged impartially at the two ships. As Landais drew past the stern the helm of the Alliance was shifted. She swung parallel to the Richard, poured in another broadside, elevated the Richard forward and raked her again! The last discharge was a frightful one. The shot at close range swept the crowded decks of the American ship, which seemed actually to quiver and flinch at this treacherous blow. This broadside did much damage, killing and wounding many on the fore-castle,

among them Midshipman Caswell, mortally. Shields, groans and cries of startled surprise and dismay rose with increasing volume from the ship.

"The Alliance, the Alliance!"

"We are betrayed! We are betrayed!"

"The English have got the ship!" came from every side in wild confusion.

"This is the Richard!" shouted Jones at the top of his voice at the first fire. "Hold your fire! Show the private signals there!" he cried lustily to the faithful Brooks; but the Alliance paid no attention to these and other warning cries. As the three broadsides were delivered by the American frigate, the men in their perfectly executable terror at this treacherous blow in the back actually began to break from their quarters and leave the guns. That was never to be thought of under any circumstances.

"Back!" shouted Jones promptly. "Back to your quarters, every man! That's the first rule of the game!" Dale and the Welsher and the midshipman gallantly seconded his orders, and the Alliance, sailing away toward the Alliance and delivering no more shot upon them, the conflict was resumed. That the men could be got to the guns again after this frightfully unsettling effect was a supreme testimony to the quality of their officers and to their own will.

Indeed, upon the part of the Seraph the battle had never been interrupted. The 18 pounders of her main battery had simply silenced and dismounted, knuckled to pieces and put out of action nearly all the 12 pounders on the main deck of the Richard. The starboard side of the American had been beaten in and the port side beaten out by the heavy fire at close range until the British were literally firing through a hole, the shot hurtling through the air and falling harmlessly in the water far on the farther side. The undraining of the upper decks of the ship was of course nearly knocked to pieces. Why the decks did not fall in and the whole thing collapse was a mystery.

There had been no fighting at all on the berth deck since the bursting of the three guns, but poor little Payne had hung grimly to his post. One by one the men of the guarding squad had been picked off by stray shots until there was none left but he and the master at arms. Several shot from the British had entered below the water line of the Richard, and she was making water fast. There was nearly four feet of water in the hold then, and it was rising. The prisoners below were in a wild state of terror. Imprecations, curses, appeals, had come up through the gratings over the hatchway, to which the young man had turned a deaf ear.

To the other dangers of the battle, there now added its devastating touch. In fact, both ships were adrift in several places. The burning gun was lodged in the chulins and other inflammable positions, and writhing, toasting, scorching torches threw their hot light over the scene of terror. As the smoke drifted down the hatchway the prisoners in the hold could stand it no longer. There was a sudden rush below toward the opening. The gratings were splintered and broken by the thrust of a piece of timber. A head or two appeared in the clear. Hands clutched at the combings.

"Back!" shouted Payne, trying to steady his boyish voice. "No!" shouted the first prisoner furiously, clutching desperately at the combing, while he was being lifted up in the arms of the men below. "Payne think we'll stay here and be drowned like rats in a hole!"

With white lips and a sinking heart the boy thrust his pistol full into the man's face, and with a trembling finger pulled the trigger. He did the like to the next man with a second pistol. To seize the musket of a dead marine and point it at the third was the work of a second. Averted by this resolution and the promptitude of his action the other prisoners fell back for the time. The sweet stood out on the forehead of the young midshipman. He had shot a man—two men—in cold blood! It seemed like murder. But he had done his duty. The words of the captain rang in his ears.

Prolonged Life

There are many persons living to-day, whom doctors have given up to die. Dr. Miles' Heart Cure has added years to their lives. It strengthens the heart nerves and muscles, restores normal heart action, so that it can send the blood through the veins to nourish and sustain life.

"I am glad to recommend Dr. Miles' Heart Cure and Nervine for they have been of great benefit to me. The doctors said I was liable to die any time, my case was incurable. I was told this by doctors in this village and Southern Minnesota. I have used some of Nervine, and although not a young man, having passed through the war, I am younger than I did before. I am feeling better in every way and sleep like a healthy six year old boy. I am advised to use your medicine by a man who is a very perfect specimen of manhood. He tried Dr. Miles' remedy and he said it cured him of heart trouble twelve years ago after the doctors had given him up to die."

CYRUS T. MURPHY, Verndale, Minn.

Dr. Miles' Heart Cure is sold by your druggist, who will guarantee that the first bottle will benefit. If it fails he will refund your money.

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"fuff" fuff" in his ear. "Keep them down!"

It was hot on the berth deck. The smoke poured in thick, suffocating clouds between decks. The wavering reflections from the flames on every side accentuated the horror. Bands of men flitted by ghostlike here and there, with buckets of water, striving to fight the flames. Lances of light leaped across the deck from the protruding muzzles of the guns on the Seraph, piercing the gloomy darkness with angry flashes. Bullets, grape, splinters of timber, solid shot, his of torn humanity, whistled past his head. He was wild, crazy. The lunacy of the tragedy about him oppressed him dreadfully. There was a weight in his bosom, a choking in his throat. The bitter, acid taste of the burned powder was in his mouth. The sickening smell of reeking blood pervaded his being. He longed to throw down his weapon and fly—anywhere, to get a respite from the infernal demand upon him. But he was a sailor, the son of a race of fighters. He held on. The deep roar of the guns above him told him that the battle was still going on. Suddenly out of the smoke appeared the burly form of the carpenter, wounded, bleached with red and gray, leaping forward, crying in terror-stricken accents:

"We're sinking! We're sinking! Four feet of water in the hold!"

The gunner and his mates, apparently equally terrified, came running from the magazines as they caught the contagion of the moment. They sprang to the gun deck and thence to the spar deck, repeating the carpenter's cry: "We're sinking! We're sinking! Quarter! Quarter!"

"We must release the prisoners!" cried the master at arms, turning toward the little officer.

"Not while I live!" said Payne resolutely, all his courage coming back to him in a moment.

"The ship is sinking. The battle is lost. Make way!" returned the burly master at arms, springing toward the hatch cover.

He never finished his words. A gunshot struck him fair in the forehead. The master at arms tore open the hatch cover.

"On deck!" he cried. "The ship is sinking!"

In panic terror, crowding and trampling upon each other like a mob of wild beasts, the maddened prisoners scrambled up the hatchway and, yelling like animals, ran pell-mell for the gun deck. The body of the brave midshipman was spurned, crushed and broken beneath their feet as they ran.

(To Be Continued.)

STANDING OF BALL CLUBS

TABLES SHOWING PERCENTAGES IN THE VARIOUS LEAGUES.

Four Cities in Close and Exciting Race for Lead in American League.

The following table shows the standing of the clubs in the various leagues:

AMERICAN LEAGUE.			
Club.	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.
Chicago	45	39	.537
Detroit	44	40	.525
Cleveland	43	41	.513
New York	42	42	.500
Boston	41	43	.488
St. Louis	40	44	.476
Washington	39	45	.463

NATIONAL LEAGUE.			
Club.	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.
Chicago	41	37	.526
New York	40	38	.513
Philadelphia	39	39	.500
Pittsburgh	38	40	.488
Kansas City	37	41	.476
St. Louis	36	42	.463
San Francisco	35	43	.450

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.			
Club.	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.
Indianapolis	41	37	.526
St. Paul	40	38	.513
Des Moines	39	39	.500
Sioux City	38	40	.488
Omaha	37	41	.476
Lincoln	36	42	.463
Denver	35	43	.450

CENTRAL LEAGUE.			
Club.	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.
Springfield	41	37	.526
Wichita	40	38	.513
Keosauqua	39	39	.500
Clinton	38	40	.488
Fort Harts	37	41	.476
Dayton	36	42	.463
Grand Rapids	35	43	.450
South Bend	34	44	.438

WESTERN LEAGUE.			
Club.	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.
Omaha	41	37	.526
Lincoln	40	38	.513
Denver	39	39	.500
Pueblo	38	40	.488
Sioux City	37	41	.476

Results Friday.			
League.	Club.	Won.	Lost.
AMERICAN LEAGUE.	Boston, 3; Washington, 2.		
	Boston, 3; Washington, 2.		
	Detroit, 3; Cleveland, 1.		
	Philadelphia, 6; New York, 4.		
NATIONAL LEAGUE.	Pittsburgh, 6; Chicago, 4.		
	Boston, 3; Brooklyn, 3.		
	New York, 6; Philadelphia, 5.		
	St. Louis, 6; Cincinnati, 4.		
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.	St. Paul, 4; Milwaukee, 3.		
	Indianapolis, 4; Columbus, 3.		
	Indianapolis, 3; Columbus, 1.		
	Toledo, 6; Louisville, 1.		
CENTRAL LEAGUE.	Dayton, 3; Toledo, 2.		
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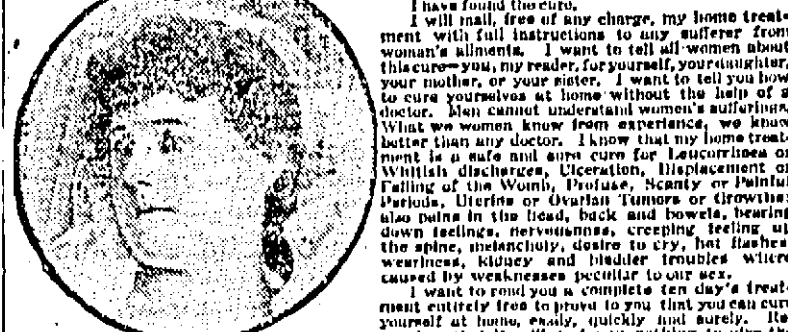
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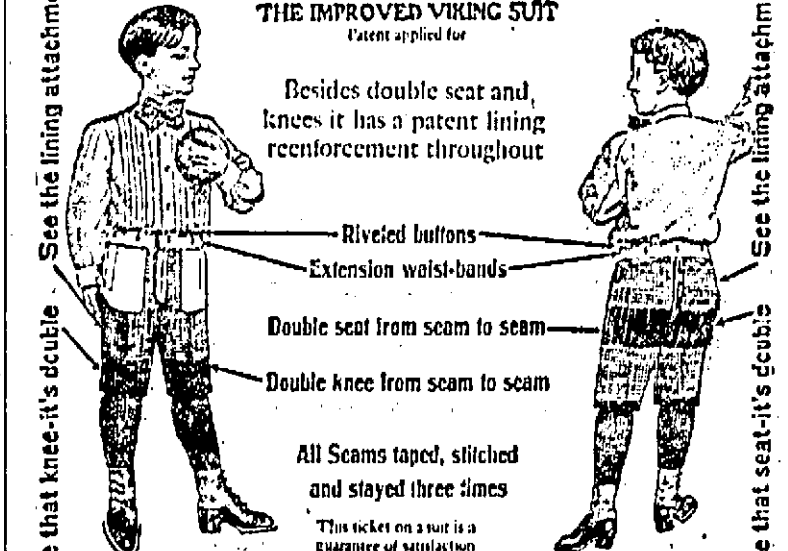
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PORTS OF MOROCCO MUST BE OCCUPIED

FORCES OF FRANCE AND SPAIN
TO ESTABLISH POLICE.

SULTAN IS POWERLESS

Armies of the Powers May Not Be
Withdrawn for Long Time—
Tribunal to Punish Alarm-
ists Proposed.

Paris, Sept. 7.—A most important change, it is said, has occurred in the political aspect of the Moroccan question, a change which may have a far-reaching effect on the future of Morocco and the relations of the powers thereto. France and Spain have the intention to occupy the littoral ports of Morocco with their own forces and establish police organizations.

Can't Protect European Driftmasters. This contemplated action results from the official announcement of the Moroccan government, through the war minister, El Ghabas, that it is unable to guarantee the safety of the European instructors of the international police force, which, under the terms of the Algeiras convention, was to be composed of Moors. The dilemma of France and Spain, who by the terms of the Algeiras convention are compelled to organize the international police, was submitted to the signatory powers, including the United States, and they all agreed that the situation demanded that France and Spain police Morocco themselves.

Occupation May Last Indefinitely. Although it is distinctly stipulated that such occupation is merely provisional, or until it is safe to recruit the police from among the Moors, there is a strong feeling that the absolute anarchy reigning in Morocco mean that this occupation of the ports may be long drawn out, perhaps lasting indefinitely. Moreover, the occupation of the ports may cause serious complications, resulting from the continued hostility of the fanatical Moors, a hostility which may compel an enlargement of the police action and culminate in a virtual military control of the Moroccan empire. This, however, will depend on the attitude of the Moors.

Towns to Be Occupied. France has planned to occupy Mazagan, Mogador, Sidi and Rabat and Spain to occupy El-Arache and Tetuan; France and Spain together will occupy Casablanca and Tangier.

Arrangements for the policing of those ports are now being made.

Penalty for Morocco Alarmists. Tangier, Sept. 7.—Responding to a request of the diplomatic corps that he take steps to arrest the needless excitation of people from Tangier, caused by the prevalence of local disorders and the circulation of false and alarming reports, the Moroccan war minister, El Ghabas, Friday proposed the institution of a summary tribunal, before which malefactors and persons guilty of circulating damaging and exciting rumors could be brought.

Moors Planning Another Attack. Casablanca, Sept. 7.—Although the Arabs suffered severely in the engagement of Tuesday, one tribe, the Medakras, losing 50 men killed out of 2,500 engaged, they are in no wise discouraged, and already are planning for a fresh attack on the French. Meanwhile, the fanatical priest, has sent a messenger to the Arab camp at Taddert announcing his early arrival, and this has produced a deep impression on the tribesmen.

OIL TRUST INDICTED AGAIN. True Bills Returned Against It and Two Railroads.

Jamestown, N. Y., Sept. 7.—An investigation which was begun before the federal grand jury in this city early in July was concluded Friday and the jury discharged by Judge Hazel, of the western district of New York. Before adjournment the jury found four indictments, one each against the Standard Oil company, the New York Central Railroad company, the Pennsylvania Railroad company, and one against the two railroads jointly.

The indictment against the Standard Oil company and those against the railway companies separately contained 64 counts, all of them charging a violation of the interstate commerce law, either in accepting or granting rebates on oil shipments from Olean to points in Vermont. The law provides a penalty of \$20,000 for each provision violated or each count; therefore, if convictions are made according to the indictments returned, the three companies will be subject to a total fine of \$970,000.

Cavalry Team Wins Dryden Trophy. Seagirt, N. J., Sept. 7.—The \$3,000 Dryden trophy and \$150 cash, the most coveted prize offered at the New Jersey Rifle association's tournament, was won Friday in an exciting match by the United States cavalry team which scored 1,001 points. The next contestant was the Massachusetts team with 977. The second prize is \$100.

Plan Boar Hunt for President. Houston, Tex., Sept. 7.—Reports reached here from San Antonio that a wild boar hunt with javelins for weapons instead of rifles is being planned for President Roosevelt's participation. An experimental hunt with javelins will shortly be made in the district south of San Antonio.

Soil Good for Tobacco. The tobacco plant has grown larger and more profuse in the United States than in any other country.

ROBBERS DYNAMITE A BANK

TAKE \$8,000 FROM INSTITUTION
IN FRANKFORT, S. D.

Citizens Held at Bay by Armed Men—
Bandits Make Escape on a
Handcar.

Frankfort, S. D., Sept. 7.—The James River bank, at this place, was dynamited between two and four o'clock Friday morning and the robbers escaped with \$8,000 in cash and valuable papers.

Seven charges of dynamite were used in blowing up the vault and the safe. Persons aroused by the explosion were prevented from interfering by guards who were stationed at the front and rear of the bank. Frank Fitzpatrick, a hotel guest, who sought to break through the line of guards, was shot. His wound is not dangerous. Many shots were fired to hold onlookers at bay.

After looting the bank the robbers broke into a section house on the Chicago & Northwestern railway and secured a handcar on which they made their escape.

A posse has been organized and is seeking the robbers.

MEDIUM TESTED IN COURT.

Mrs. Pepper-Vanderbilt Admits She
Cannot Read Sealed Letter.

New York, Sept. 7.—Mrs. May S. Pepper-Vanderbilt, a leader of the spiritualists, appeared as a witness again Friday in the lunacy proceedings brought against her husband, Edward W. Vanderbilt, by his daughter, Minerva Vanderbilt. Mrs. Vanderbilt had previously testified that under the control of a spirit, "Bright eyes," an Indian child, and while in a trance, she was able to read unopened letters and learn of secrets unknown to the lay mind.

A large crowd filled the courtroom to listen to the testimony of Mrs. Vanderbilt. She was challenged by counsel for Miss Vanderbilt to read unopened a sealed letter which he handed her. Counsel for Mrs. Vanderbilt protested against the question, but Commissioner Ketcham held that the question was material, for if Mrs. Vanderbilt could read the letter through the aid of the unseen "Bright eyes," it would clear up all the questions in the case. The letter was handed to the witness.

"I cannot read it," said Mrs. Vanderbilt. "I am not under the control of 'Bright eyes.'"

DEVELOPMENTS DUE IN STRIKE.

Leaders Awaiting Meeting of Directors of Western Union.

New York, Sept. 7.—Officers of the telegraphers' union state that important developments in the telegraph strike may be expected next Tuesday when the board of directors of the Western Union meets in regular quarterly meeting. The union officials decline to state the nature of the developments, which, they claim, will force the telegraph companies to capitulate.

Nearly 200 strikers have obtained other positions since the strike according to a statement made by a leader of the union. Officials of both telegraph companies declared that the strike is over so far as the companies are concerned.

Mrs. Laura Carter Acquitted. New York, Sept. 7.—Mrs. Laura M. Carter, who had been on trial for a week on a charge of receiving stolen money, was acquitted by a jury late Friday. She was accused of having received from Chester B. Runyan, the defaulting teller of the Windsor Trust company, \$5,000 of the \$82,000 he stole from the bank.

Dutch Strike-Breakers Strike. Antwerp, Sept. 7.—One hundred Dutch strike-breakers Friday demanded an increase of 20 cents in their daily wages, and when this was refused they quit work and proceeded to a large socialist meeting in progress at the time, where they were received with frantic cheers.

The Artist's Mistake. A trained nurse was looking through the advertising pages of a magazine. Presently she came to a picture which arrested her attention. "It's pretty," she said, showing it to her patient, "but can you see what's wrong with it?" The patient saw a picture of a very attractive trained nurse about to hand a cup of something to an equally attractive patient who reclined in bed. "No," she admitted. "It looks all right to me. What's the matter with it?" "The nurse's apron has big strings, whereas it should be fastened with a trim belt. I never saw a nurse in my life who wore big strings on her apron. The artist probably never noticed."

A Hydropathic Cure. "Well! Well!" was the favorite exclamation of surprise of a certain literary worker. "Well! Well!" no matter whether things were well or ill. "Well! Well!" he exclaimed the other evening at the end of a semi-tragic story. "Two holes in the ground," said a fair listener. It took him a moment to catch on; then he exclaimed: "Well! Well! Well!" "Three holes in the ground," said the girl. And the man was cured of his favorite phrase.

Reason for His Absence. "I never see Crockett down here any more," said the artist, as he took a seat in the most comfortable chair. "Why is it?" It used to be that I never came down but Crockett was here. If he wasn't actually here, a knock at the door, and Crockett. "He came down here not long ago," she explained, "and said he was awfully hard up. I offered him a five and he took it. That's why."

TWELVE PERISH IN RAILROAD WRECK

ROCK ISLAND EXPRESS TRAIN
CRASHES INTO A FREIGHT.

DOZEN OTHERS INJURED

Horrible Accident at Norris, Ia.—
Smoking Car of Passenger Is
Telescoped and Utterly
Demolished.

Waterloo, Ia., Sept. 7.—Twelve persons were killed and 12 others injured in the wreck of an express train on the Rock Island railroad at Norris, Ia., Friday. The express train, which was northbound, jumped the track while going at full speed and collided with a freight train standing on the siding.

The dead: P. B. Oliver, Waterloo, Ia.; Will Goodman, Waterloo, Ia.; John N. Watson, Waterloo, Ia.; C. L. Landphers, Shell Rock, Ia.; W. Ray Johnson, Dike, Ia.; B. R. Christy, Minneapolis, Minn.; Lepovan Toja, Hammond, Ia.; laborer, name unknown, Hammond, Ia.; W. H. Meyers, baggageman, Burlington, Ia.; three unknown men.

The injured: J. A. Newell, Illinois Central conductor, Waterloo, Ia.; John Shaw, Waterloo, Ia.; Dr. C. L. Keefe, Marble Rock, Ia.; J. H. Douglass, Waterloo, Ia.; Thomas Evanson, Mora, Minn.; O. H. Martin, mail clerk, West Liberty, Ia.; Edward Stoppers, Minneapolis, Minn.; Trocien Crisman, St. Paul, Minn.; H. McMahon, fireman, Cedar Rapids, Ia.; Albert Mason, engineer, Cedar Rapids, Ia.; A. L. Welliver, hamman, Cedar Rapids, Ia.; F. Kitch, engineer, Cedar Rapids, Ia.

Victims in Smoker. The injured were brought to Waterloo and placed in the Presbyterian hospital.

Nearly all of the dead and injured were in the smoking car, which was immediately behind the baggage and mail cars. The smoking car was completely demolished, there not being left one piece of wood large enough to make a top for an ordinary kitchen table.

The northbound express was ten minutes late at Norris siding, which is a small station three miles north of Cedar Falls, Ia., and there a southbound freight train was awaiting the express, which came thundering along at a terrific speed in an effort to make up time.

Crashed Into Freight Train.

Just as the engine of the express was about to pass the freight engine the trucks of the express jumped the track and the engine crashed with terrible force into the engine of the freight, wrecking both engines and telescoping the baggage and mail cars. The passengers in the two day coaches following the smoker escaped with only a violent shaking up.

Rescuers were immediately at hand to care for the injured and to take the dead from among the wreckage.

Dr. Keefe's Heroism.

Sitting in the midst of the wreckage was Dr. Charles J. Keefe, who, although badly injured, realized how seriously he was hurt. With heroic fortitude, while suffering intense pain, he waved the rescuers aside and directed them to the assistance of those whom he thought were in a more serious condition than himself, for in front of him and behind him on all sides were men writhing and groaning in the agony of their sufferings.

Physicians and hospital attendants were hastily taken to Norris on a special train made up in this city and, pending their arrival, such medical relief as the little station afforded was given the injured.

A PRETTY SAFE PROPHECY.

De Pachmann's Humor at Expense of His Conferees.

Vladimir De Pachmann, the Russian pianist, and Goldmark, the famous opera composer, met in front of the latter's Vienna home a short time ago. Goldmark is a most estimable old gentleman and a writer of exceptionally brilliant and melodious music, but his one great fault is most overwhelming conceit, a trait which often gives his friends occasion for much merriment at his expense. As De Pachmann and Goldmark walked away from the composer's house, the pianist pointed backward over his shoulder and said: "That modest little office will be signally distinguished some day after you are dead." "Indeed," murmured Goldmark, blushing with pleasure. "Yes," continued De Pachmann; "they will decorate it with a tablet." "And, pray, what do you suppose they will say on the tablet after I am dead?" asked the composer, eagerly. "To Let," was De Pachmann's pithy reply, as he scuttled across the Ring Strasse.

In the Interests of Peace. A party of youths were camping in the mountains of the upstate district, says the Philadelphia Ledger. One of them disturbed the others every moment his lungs would allow by a ceaseless attempt to sing. One of the party, being somewhat of a musician, inwardly vowed vengeance, and at last determined to put his feelings to words. Supper was in progress and the would-be singer withdrew. At the end of the verso he turned to the musician and said: "The funny thing about me is that I can sing with a chew in." The musician looked at him in a kind of charitably contemptible way, and answered in a long drawl: "Well, then, for goodness' sake, put a chew in."

THE NEWS BOILED DOWN.

The Royal Typewriter company is reported in New York to be the nucleus of a gigantic trust backed by powerful interests.

Gen. Morizoa Khan, minister plenipotentiary from the kingdom of Persia to the United States and Mexico, arrived in San Francisco.

President Roosevelt is said to be planning a peace conference to be held at Washington, D. C., with the accredited ambassadors as members of the gathering.

Count Kamarowski was shot several times at Venice by a young man who gained entrance to his room. The assassin escaped. The count is expected to recover.

The members of the Hoboken, (N. J.) Young Women's Christian association have started out to collect one mile of pennies, which they will string together on a ribbon.

William S. Wirsing was awarded \$45,000 damages at Uniontown, Pa., for injuries received at the hands of his father-in-law, James R. Smith, a wealthy coal operator.

Edward Glasgow, a physician, is dead and his wife is wounded as a result of a mysterious shooting at Brazil, Ind. The wife says her husband shot her and killed himself, but she is in custody.

Frank A. Porret, an American who is assistant in the observatory on Vesuvius, says the clouds of dust recently seen from the volcano were not due to an eruption, but to the crumbling of the crater.

Acting Secretary of the Navy Newberry postponed indefinitely action upon the project to remove the famous old frigate Constitution from the Boston navy yard to Annapolis or to the naval basin in Washington. Boston people objected.

The International Harvester company of Wisconsin pleaded guilty to a violation of the Texas anti-trust laws and paid a fine of \$25,000 assessed by the court at Austin. The company also agreed that a perpetual injunction be entered forbidding it to operate in Texas.

Her First Ascention Fatal.

Howard City, Mich., Sept. 7.—Pearl Potter of Grand Rapids, Mich., was killed Friday at the fair here while making her first balloon ascension. The girl was encased, with a parachute, in a cannon which was to have been fired in midair. The cannon was cut loose at a height of 500 feet but failed to go off. The girl was dead when picked up.

Fireman Killed in East.

Bethford, Conn., Sept. 7.—In a collision here Friday night between a New York, New Haven & Hartford freight train and a passenger train of the same road, George Chambers, fireman of the freight, was killed and several persons on the passenger train were slightly injured.

Boiler Explodes, Fifty Injured.

Temple, Tex., Sept. 7.—Fifty people were injured at Holland Friday afternoon when the boiler in a gin owned by Sam H. Barton exploded. Sam, Will and Blake Barton were seriously injured. All three are sons of the owner of the gin. Blake is not expected to live.

PICKPOCKET'S FIGHT CONDUCTOR

Lively Encounter with Thieves on a Rock Island Train.

Omaha, Neb., Sept. 7.—Three armed crooks, who had picked the pockets of a number of Rock Island passengers at the station in Lincoln, and attempted to continue their game on the train, engaged in a desperate encounter with Conductor Henry Duval on the Rocky Mountain limited, near Alvo station, about one o'clock Friday morning.

After standing off Conductor Duval with a knife, the men leaped from the moving train, about eight miles west of Alvo, and escaped in the darkness. The Rock Island special agents have been sent to the vicinity of their escape with good descriptions of the men.

Passengers had reported being robbed at Lincoln and later Conductor Duval discovered the crooks attempting to rob men who were asleep in the chair car. He tried to capture them, but in vain. The first reports were to the effect that the train had been held up.

New Direct Line to Greece. New York, Sept. 7.—The departure of the new twin-screw steamship Laurion from New York today marks the inauguration of the first direct east-bound service between Greek ports and New York. The service has been instituted by the Austro-American Steamship company owing to the great increase in the Greek business during the past year.

Uncomplimentary Criticism. At a recent sale of books and curios the auctioneer said: "This book, gentlemen, is especially valuable, as it contains a marginal note in the handwriting of John Dryden. Five pounds offered. Going—going—gone. It is yours, sir." The autograph marginal note by the renowned scholar was as follows: "This book is not worth the paper it is printed on."

Pantomimic Golf. To play behind a foursome composed of Frenchmen one must resign all attempt to play golf, and in place of it you must feel that you are compensated by watching the pantomime of the quartet preceding you. Trust me, you will be amply repaid. That is, if nature has endowed you with a sense of humor.—Golf Illustrated.

Titles Won by American Women. American women have, within a few years, captured 23 titled Englishmen, 26 titled Germans, 14 titled Frenchmen, 17 titled Italians and six titled Russians.

Read the want ads.

MAY BURN FRISCO HOSPITAL.

Board of Health Recommends That
Such Action Be Taken.

San Francisco, Sept. 7.—The board of health Friday recommended to the board of supervisors that the city and county hospital, which has sheltered a number of plague cases, be burned. The city hospital is a collection of frame buildings and it has long been planned to demolish it.

The announcement that the marine hospital service is to take charge of the plague situation is regarded here as an assurance that the progress of the disease will be stopped in short order.

Washington, Sept. 7.—By direction of Surgeon General Wyman, of the public health and marine hospital service, Dr. Rupert Blue, sanitary director of the Jamestown exposition, is now on his way to San Francisco to take charge of the campaign in that city against the bubonic plague. Dr. Blue is considered by Dr. Wyman to be especially well equipped for this work, having on a previous occasion handled an outbreak of the plague in San Francisco.

CANNOT DISMISS CADETS.

Col. Howze Lacks Authority in the
West Point Difficulty.

Washington, Sept. 7.—If Col. Howze, commandant of cadets at West Point, threatened to dismiss a whole class because the members sent one of their number to "Conventry," he overrode his authority, according to the officials of the war department. The power of dismissal in such cases is not confined to any official of lower rank than the president. The extent of the commandant's power would be temporarily to suspend the offending cadets and to recommend dismissal, first to the superintendent of the academy, Col. Scott, and then to the secretary of war and the president.

War department officials do not believe, however, that Col. Howze went to this length, and they feel confident that the matter is one that can be handled by the faculty and the superintendent of the academy without reference to the department.

WILHELMINA DACHE FREED.

Served 16 Years for Murder She Probably Didn't Commit.

Madison, Wis., Sept. 7.—With every possible indication that she was not guilty of the crime of murder, for which she has already served 16 years of a life sentence in the state prison, Wilhelmina Dache was released from Waupun prison Friday. Her life sentence for the murder of Michael Bell, of Shevane county, was commuted by Gov. Davidson. She went to the penitentiary when she was 17 years old.

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